Anne Martin

James Beaty

Elizabeth Ann Caldwell

Pictured above, on the left, is Anne Martin, student at Dunbar High School in Lynchburg, Virginia looking over a Sonatina by Clementi which earned for her a superior rating. She also received a double superior in a piano duet, Landler by Schubert.

Pictured also are James Beaty, Center, and Elizabeth Ann Caldwell, on the right, two of the youngest students in the State Music Festival who received a superior rating.

They both played contemporary music from Eskimo Land by Edna Mae Burnam. They are students at Appomattox Primary School.

Participate In State Music Festival

Fifty-one students from The Allegro Music Studio, piano class of Mrs. J. Franklin Vaughan entered the State Music Festival at Lynchburg College as a part of the Virginia Federation of Music Clubs. Each entry was judged and graded individually and received awards according to their grades. It is a policy of the Federation not to publish individual grades, however, let it be stated that most honorable grades were received by the following entries and many will receive gold cups next year for performances superior in quality. The gold cups are awarded when a number of points have been earned over a three or more year period of time. Students entering were: Gail Farrar, Cynthia Woodson, Donna Woodson, Angela Woodson, Teresa Harris, Cindy Harris, James Beaty, Carole Beaty, Pam Dodd, Lynn Dodd, Paula Lea, Sharon Bryant, Garlene Gaines, Debbie Campbell, Cindy Howard, Vicky Howard, Julie Williams, Diana Short, Vanessa Smith, Bonnie Kaye Layne, Shelby Dunnam, Rebecca Loflin, Polly Carter, Susan Godsey, Jennifer Brown, Alice Angel, Elizabeth Angel, Katy Lowry, Cheryl Motley, Vicky Motley, Ruth Ann Brackin, Anne Martin, John Randall Caldwell, Robin Blanks, Brenda Thompson, Sharee Covington, Nadine Bugg, Cindy Morris, LaTrelle Ewers, Karl Ewers, Elizabeth Ann Caldwell, Carol Carson, Susan Rosser, Sandy Jamerson, Linda Torrence and Melinda Davis and Johnny Campbell.

These students and others in the class are now preparing for the National Guild Piano Auditions sponsored by the American College of Musicians. Because of student performances, Mrs. Vaughan was placed on the National Honor Roll of Guild Teachers of the American College of Musicians in May of 1972 following the annual auditions of students.

Prohibited Grazing Period Begins Soon

Producers who chose wheat and feed grain program plans that included set-aside acreage are being reminded that the five-month period during which grazing of set-aside is prohibited begins may 1.

This limitation on the use of set-aside acreage applies to producers who want to earn the full program payment, said James R. Ford, Jr., chairman the Appomattox County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee. Other producers who also chose the set-aside options may elect to graze the acreage throughout the year, or to cut hay or silage from it, provided they give advance noticed to the SSCS county office. They also will forfeit a part of their program payment.

For producers who want to earn the full payment, the period when the set-aside may not be grazed extends through Sept. 30. No crop, forage or otherwise, may be harvested from set - aside acreage throughout the year unless a producer has signed up for a permitted alternate crop on set-aside.

The decision to permit year-round grazing and cutting of conserving crops for forage from set -aside - when advance notice is given - is new in this year's wheat and feed grain programs. It is intended to help alleviate the livestock feed situation by making more acreage available for grazing and forage for the increased livestock numbers needed to meet consumer demand for red meat.

WRECK ISLAND EXTENSION HOMEMAKER'S CLUB

Wreck Island Extension Homemaker's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Nina Caldwell on Wed., April 18, at 1:30 p.m.

Hostesses for the ocassion will be Mrs. Nina Caldwell and Mrs. Elsie Caldwell.

Members are urged to attend.

Singers Of Baltimore in Concert

Mr. Calvin Statham and the Statham Gospel Singers of Baltimore will render a musical concert this Monday evening, April 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the Appomattox Intermediate School. The Statham Singers are very popular singers and have rendered many concerts throughout the United States. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Statham are members of the famous Clara Ward Singers. The general public is cordially invited to attend. A general admission of $1.00 for adults and fifty cents for children and students will be charged at the door. The group is sponsored by the Long Mountain Lodge of Masons of Virginia.

An unusually large crowd attended the Ladies Day program at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday evening at 3 p.m. The Rev. W. R. Jones and his Intermediate Choir of the First Baptist Church, Lynchburg, were the special guest. Greetings were extended in person by 13 different church groups. Mrs. Annie Harvey served as mistress of ceremony. The pastor of the church introduced the guest speaker and gave the final remarks. The service was enjoyed by all who attended. The president of the local Willing Workers Club, Mrs. Julia Pennix gave words of thanks to all members, visitors and friends present.

At the request of a few local churches the final report from the Red Cross Drive will be published in next week's column.

The local Appomattox Assembly meeting will be held next Wednesday at the usual time. The local meeting was postponed on account of the Pre-Holy week service. Please remember the date Wednesday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m.

All members of the local Chapter of NAACP are asked to attend the meeting on Thursday, April 19, instead of Monday, April 26. This change was made on account of the Musical program at the Intermediate School on Monday, April 16. The meeting will be held at the Gravel Hill Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. All members and friends are asked to attend.

The Pre-Holy Week service madé a very fine start Monday evening. The Rev. Roy Wood delivered the sermon instead of the Rev. R. Q. Lawing. Rev. Lawing will deliver the Sunrise sermon at Zion Baptist Church instead of the Rev. Mr. Wood who finds it impossible to be present. The service this Thursday will be held at the Mount Airy Baptist Church and the Rev. J. P. Rose will deliver the sermon. Friday evening services will be held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church and the Rev. C. L. Elliott will deliver the sermon.

The general public is invited to attend Palm Sunday services at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m.

The semi-annual meeting of the East and West Bound Sunday School Union will be held with the Jordan Baptist Sunday School on the fifth Sunday in this month beginning at 10 a.m. All schools are asked to send delegates. The pastor of the church will deliver a special sermon.

Local churches are asked to cooperate in the annual Cancer Fund Drive. Please give as liberal as you can for this drive. Please try to have your report by the end of this month. Local leaders are asked to ask members in your church community to help in this worthy cause. Please send your report to the local chairman, Rev. R Q. Lawing.

Concord Auxiliary Announces Winner

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Concord Rescue Squad met Sunday, April 1, 1973, at Thomas Terrace Exxon to draw from the tickets for the afghan donated to the squad.

The winning ticket drawn was that belonging to Mrs. Kathy Jones of Concord.

The Auxiliary would like to congratulate Kathy on winning the afghan and to thank everyone for buying tickets thus making this a successful project.

Aspecial thanks goes to Mrs. Colena Roberts of Concord who made the afghan and donated it to the auxiliary. The money raised will go to the Concord Rescue Squad to be used to purchase additional equipment needed.

Try It

If you think fascism can rule America try telling your wife that your first duty is to the State instead of her.
-Times, Louisville.

How True

Your temper is one of the few things that improves the longer you keep it.
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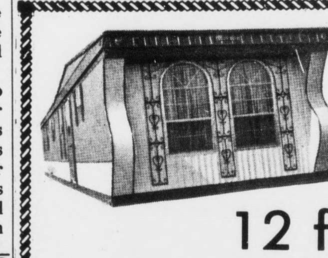

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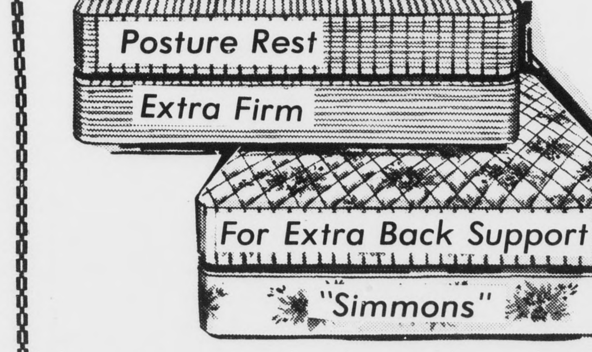

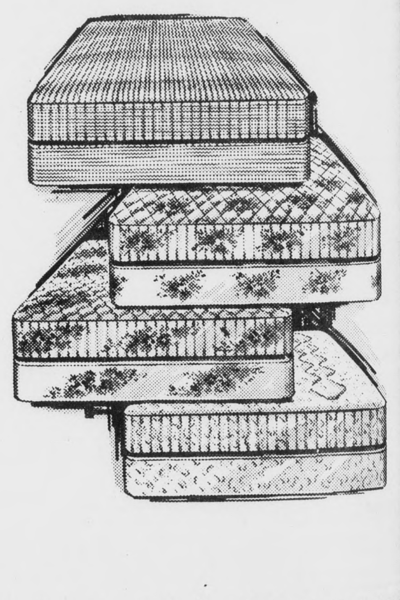

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"Joy" To Be Presented

The Liberty Youth Singers will present "Joy", by Bill Cates, a Christian folk musical with the sound of the fifties with a home mission theme geared to Youth.

It will be presented on Saturday evening, April 14th, at 7:15 p.m. at Liberty Baptist Church. Director of the Liberty Youth Singrs is Mrs. J. Franklin Vaughan, pianist is Mrs. Maymond Mitchell and organist is B. B. Hubbard. The group will also be accompanied by three guitarist: Joe Vaughan, Ed Jamerson and T. C. Harvey with E. W. Paulette on drums.

Soloists for the musical will be Dianne Williams, Joan Coleman, Pam Chenault, Kathy Mitchell, Teresa Smith, Steve Marshall, Mike Gallier, Carol Wood, Chip Jamerson and Joe Vaughan.

This will be the first presentation of "Joy" by any choir in the Southern Baptist Convention with the exception of the premier performance by the composer and selected cast.

The Liberty Youth Singers have received from the Home Missions Board a certificate of appreciation for their performance. Area residents are invited to attend.

APPINGHAM

Alexander, Caesar, Charlemagne and myself founded empires on force, and they perished; Jesus of Nazareth ..., a crucified Jew, founded his kingdom on love, and at this ... millions of men would die for Him." – Napoleon

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church will be holding preaching services each Sunday morning at 9:45 a.m. until further notice. There will be no services on Sunday night. (Sunday School will be at 11 a.m.) Rev. ... Bryant, Senior pastor of the church, will speak at the ... a.m. service. This column ... carry a notice of the expected future change of time and speakers.

Sincere sympathy is extended to all who have lost loved ones especially the family of the late ... Bryant. "To live on in the hearts of friends and loved ones is not to die" . . . . and truly ... will live on in that way.

Mrs. Vinia Kress was hostess at a birthday party on Saturday, ... in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Johnson. Those present, other than the honoree and hostess were J. P. Johnson, Joe and Becky Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gunter, Sr., ..., Donna and Kim Gunter, Mrs. Martha Cox; of Richmond. Mrs. Kress, who will be ... years old on May 25, entertained her guests by playing several favorite songs on a ...'s Harp.

We regret the error in this column last week. The B.W.M.S. will be held at Pleasant Grove on April 14 at 7 p.m. instead of April 7, as stated.

The Hazel Moon Spring Group B.W.M.S. meeting will be held April 13 at 7:30 p.m. at Gladstone Memorial Baptist Church. The group includes Chestnut Grove, Pleasant Grove, Liberty Chapel, Union, and Gladstone Memorial B.W.M.S.

Don't forget: Sunrise Services – Pleasant Grove – 5:30 a.m. – Breakfast at 7 a.m. Come join us.

Pauline Gunter, Corres.

Know THE Weather

Where are the trade winds found? Why are they called trade winds?

The trade winds -- long known by sailors who placed their trust in sails to circle the globe -- are found above the Equator to about 30 degrees latitude.

The south trade winds are below the Equator and the north trade winds above. They tend to blow out of the east toward the west, especially nearer the Equator. They become more southerly in origin nearer 30 degrees north and south.

Further north, above the trades, and south, below the south trades, blow the westerlies. They come out of the west and blow to the east, and are found to about 60 degrees north and south. In the north they really come from the southwest and blow slightly north and east.

In the south, they really come from the northwest and blow slightly south and east.

VERA

Much sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. Hal Bryant who passed away last week, also to the family of Mrs. W.T. Childers who passed away on Sunday.

Teresa Drinkard who underwent surgery at Virginia Baptist Hospital last week, has returned to her home. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Thursday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ferguson were, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith, Mrs. Mollie Rogers and Mrs. Tom Moore all of Appomattox.

Sheri Williams spent last weekend with her Grandmother, Mrs. Florence Amos.

Supper guest of Mrs. Dorothy Garrett on Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cyrus of Lynchburg and Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Ferguson.

Mrs. Della Thomas is doing much better after being on the sick list.

Mrs. Florence Amos spent last Tuesday night with her Mother, Mrs. Philee Heath, and brother Washington Heath of Buckingham.

Dinner guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ferguson were Mr. and Mrs. Marie Ferguson and Jane all of Lynchburg and Mrs. Dorothy Garrett of Appomattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smoot and Kelly of Lynchburg, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Amos on Sunday.

Get well wishes go out to Mrs. Jo Meadows and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Torrence all of Appomattox.

Mr. Haywood Ferguson of Chevy Chase, Maryland is spending sometime with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ferguson.

Mrs. Fannie Slider is hospitalized in the Lynchburg General Hospital, after sustaining injuries in a car accident last week. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Ferguson on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Marie Ferguson and Jane of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Floyd Williams, Michael and Sheri visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Amos on Monday night.

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The individual with an idea is very often a nuisance to his friends.

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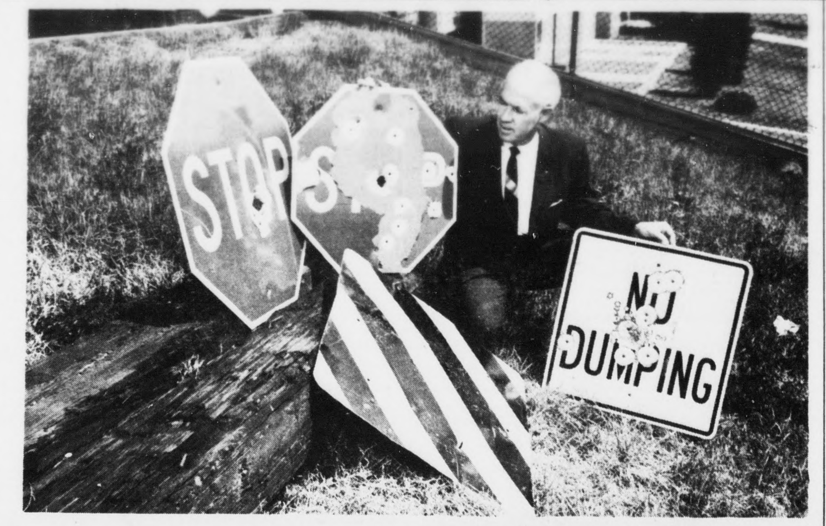

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SIGN VANDALISM caused these highway markers to be replaced long before it should have been necessary. Frank Isbell, a district traffic engineer for the Virginia Department of Highways, shows the kind of sign mistreatment that costs the taxpayers more than half a million dollars a year, plus some danger where signs are knocked down or made unreadable.

Vandals and Litter Costly To Appomattox County

Vandals last year cost the taxpayers who finance Virginia's highways more than half a million dollars.

With gunshots, paint, thrown bottles, political stickers pasted by overly enthusiastic campaign workers, and other mischief vandalism to the state's official road signs totaled $539,606.

In Appomattox County damage to primary roads totaled $1,650.00, damage to secondary roads totaled $450.00; making the total damage in our county $2,100.00.

Litter along Virginia's roads, always an ugly nuisance and sometimes a safety hazard, became a million-dollar problem last year, the State Department of Highways said April 5th.

In Appomattox County litter clean-up expenditures on primary roads amounted to $4,130.87, expenditures on secondary roads amounted to $1,017.14; making the total litter clean-up expenditures for our county $5,148.01 for the past year.

ALUMNAE LUNCHEON

The Appomattox Chapter, Longwood Alumnae Association will hold its annual Spring Luncheon April 14, 1973, at 1 p.m. at Maude's Restaurant. All interested alumnae and any junior or senior high school girl planning to attend Longwood is invited to attend.

Please contact Carolyn Coleman, president of the chapter, to make reservations. 352-5191.

The Banks

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April 10 - The M.Y.F. groups of Bethel, Mt. Comfort and Trinity United Methodist Churches chartered a Trailways bus for a trip to Washington for the week-end. Many places of interest were visited including The Capitol, Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial, Smithsonian and Zoo. Sunday morning worship services at Washington National Cathadral was attended by the group.

Mrs. Herman Moore was Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. H.C. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and Melonie Saturday night.

Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin were Mrs. Flecher Burge Jr., Mr. Everette Martin and E. W., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tweedy and Tracy. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stollings visited in this home Saturday night.

Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Maxwell and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Carter, Crystal and Karen, Mrs. Geraldine Moore and girls visited in the evening.

Mr. Robert Morris, Melonie Morris and Miss Ann Crews visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Crews and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burge visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mays of Forest Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tuck and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moore Jr., and family.

Mrs. Fletcher Burge Jr. Visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Carolyn, Melonie and Mrs. S. G. Martin Monday night.

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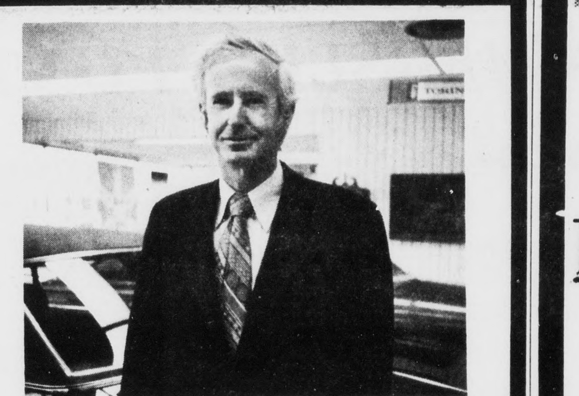

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